



ACTS OF A MADMAN

He Visits the Chicago Board of Trade With a Gun

LIVE SHOTS FIRED AT RANDOM

Three People Hit and Severely Wounded but Are Likely to Recover. The Juries Awarded Up to \$100 a Share. Escape of Suspect.

Chicago, Sept. 28.—It is believed that the man, who entered the south gallery of the board of trade, took a revolver and fired two shots at random, hitting three people. The revolver fell to the floor below and the papers fall. A panic ensued at 10 o'clock in the morning, the traders every one stampeding to the doors or concealing themselves behind bullet-proof or steel doors on the floor.

Two persons were struck, one being a broker, Mr. Ward, and Mr. French, a board of trade member, and one in the office.

Charles W. Peewell, assistant chief of the board of trade, is to be examined by a coroner to determine if the bullet had been fired into the head or body.

Mr. W. W. Lee of Liverpool, president of the board of trade, was struck in the head, but was not seriously injured.

The first witness to the leaders was a story of a woman who was wounded in the head. All three were struck at the noise of the shots and the traders fled to another room in the stock exchange. Every one concluded that it was a madman who had fired the gun.

Mr. J. H. Belden, a member of the board of trade, entered the south gallery of the board of trade with a revolver and fired two shots at random, hitting three people. The papers fell to the floor below and the traders fled to another room in the stock exchange.

Both the method and results were pleasing to the trade, as it is pleasant and refreshing to the taste, and acts gently yet promptly on the kidneys, Liver and Bowels, cures the system, dispels colds, headaches and fevers and cures habitual constipation. Syrup of Figs is the only remedy of its kind ever produced, pleasing to the taste and acceptable to the stomach, prompt in its action and truly beneficial in its effects prepared only from the most health and agreeable substances, its many excellent qualities command it to all and have made it the most popular remedy known.

Syrup of Figs is for sale in 50c and \$1 bottles by all leading drug-gists. Any reliable druggist who may not have it on hand will procure it promptly for any one who wishes to try it. Do not accept any substitute.

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Special

Underwear

Sale!

For three days, commencing next

Thursday, Friday and Saturday

Do not fail to see them

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Lima House Corner.

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THURSDAY, SEPT. 28th.

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DOCKSTADER

MINSTREL

HARRY J. CLAPHAM, Mgr.

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ANY OLD FAVORITES?

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All United and Entirely New Program

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LEW DOCKSTADER,

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FAIR WEEK

BELL'S.

-1-

Lot of all wool 50 cent Dress Goods for 25 Cents.

-2-

Extra quality Black Silk worth \$1.85 for 98 Cents.

-3-

2 cases Ladies' Ribbed Underwear, worth 50c, for 29 Cents.

-4-

Lot of extra wide Lace Curtains, worth \$2.75 a pair, for \$1.69 a Pair.

Do not fail to see the finest stock of

FALL DRESS GOODS

in the city.

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Leading Dry Goods Store,
218 North Main Street.

The Lima Times-Democrat

THE TIMES-DEMOCRAT PUB CO

COUNTING ROOM, 221 NORTH MAIN STREET

TELEPHONE CALL, No. 84.

TALES OF THE TOWN.

This is the b day at the county fair. Born, to Prof and Mrs C L Bover of West Wayne street, a son.

Born to Mr and Mrs C H Vogan, of 745 West North street, a 10 pound boy.

John Devine, of West Vines street, is not expected to live. He is suffering from typhoid fever.

The Columbian Literary Society will meet Friday evening in their hall in the Cincinnati block. The public are invited.

Quite a number of persons came over from Delphos and Elida on the P, W & C to accommodate them morning to attend the fair.

The Procter & Gamble Company of Indianapolis, are conducting an auction sale of bicycles in the Saint block, south east corner of Public Square.

The funeral services of Theodore the seventeen-year-old son of Adolph Fruel, who died night before last, were held from St Rose's church at 8:30 o'clock this morning.

FATHER AND SON

Arrested Upon Suspicion of Being Robbers

About last midnight policemen Paton and Baker arrested Robert and John Haines, of East Pearl street on the charge of robbery. The two were in a buggy and had two guns in their pockets, which they were said to have stolen, on account of their shady record, but the owner of the pistols has not yet turned up. They were locked up and the police held at the police station. The case will be given a hearing this evening.

FUR OPENING
at
BELL'S
TO-MORROW

FRIDAY
When Mr. Newland, representing Messrs Henry A. Newland & Co., of Detroit, will be at our store with a full line of Sealskins and Fine Furs.

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The Rhondale Glee Club

50 voices, and A7, sheeky, the great soprano, will give a grand concert in the Congregational church on Tuesday evening Oct 2d. Reserved seats on sale at Mcl's Friday morning. Admission to auditorium, 35 and 50 cents. It

Harry Hiner's Fine Photographs

Have been drawing such crowds of customers that he has kept his door to prepare an exhibit for the Allen County Fair. Everything the very latest and prices reasonable. Try him and be convinced.

It

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M. H. New, New Clothier at Thom-on & Richard's opening 95 21

Hawkins Bros.

Will clean your chumbers, black your stores and clean and ready your carpets. Their work will be very best. Orders may be left at Haman & Bell's 154t

PUN DOWN.

Farmers Give Chase to a Brace of Thieves

Being Discovered Robbing a House They Leap From Window

There was a very exciting time in the southern part of the country, near the Arkansas river, yesterday afternoon, a posse of farmers being in pursuit of two thieves who were captured early last evening and lodged behind the bars.

Yesterday afternoon, during the absence of the family of Wm Bowsher, two thieves entered the house and began searching the premises and took everything of any value that they could lay their hands on. Wm. Bowsher, who was Wm. Bowsher, turned and had entered the house before his presence was detected by the robbers. The latter were up stairs and Bowsher heard them. He started up to make an investigation, not knowing there were

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MATCHED TO EIGHT

Ike Boone, of Kenton and Venus Seibert, of St. Marys will have a Mill.

Wist promises to be one of the heraldic fights that has ever occurred in the ring, in this vicinity will take place one week from next Saturday night, between Ike Boone, the colored pugilist, of Kenton, who fought Dan Baily in Marion a few months ago and Irene Seibert, of Mill.

The fight will start at eight o'clock and with two pairs of gloves. They are both in good condition, and it is thought, the fight will be for blood from the first time in that one or the other receives the knock out blow. The outcome for which they will fight is not known, but it is as good as the gate receipts will be the only money to the gate.

Sorrells pretty well known about St. Marys and has had several hard fights. He at one time fought Ben Watson of the city. Just where the mill will come off will not be made public, but it will take place near this city.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Who They Are, Where They Have Been and Are Going

L. H. Karp was over from Adel to day.

Mr and Mrs J. W. Ortonic home from the big fair.

Mrs. Mayne Kelly has gone to Chicago to visit the fair.

John F. Bogar, of Columbus Grove was in the city to day.

Chas. Kneeland, Jr. is right from the World's Fair.

Wm. Bee, of Monroe Ind. is visiting his uncle Jerry Bee.

Mr and Mrs J. J. Hayes were in the city from Van Wert to day.

S. H. Bassett of the Internal Revenue office, is at the Barstow House.

Night Clerk, Willows, of the Lima House is from the fair.

Moses Emma and Jessie Haller have gone to Chicago to visit their brother.

Mr. T. A. Dillard and son of North Elm street, is visiting his parents in Lebanon.

Miss Clara Leng of Sidney is the daughter of Miss Edith Weppler, of West Kirby street.

Miss Edie DeWitt, of Lorain, is the daughter of Miss Anna Weller, of North Main street.

Mrs. Dr. Jones of Gaylord, Minn. is visiting her mother, Mrs. Folsom of North Main street.

Mr and Mrs. Isaac S. Motter and son Benjamin went to Chicago yesterday to see the sights in and about the White City.

Editor Agnew, Wels and family were in the city last night en route to the fair.

They were quartered at the Farmer House, while here.

John J. Good and wife returned last night from Chicago, where they passed the 2d and 3d.

Prices for this afternoon came to of \$2.50. One was in three straight hits. Caroline finished record each time, while Nibbs, third in the first heat and Mollie fourth did not go afterward. Time 2:0, 2:12, 2:12.

Wool ran away with first in the half mile dash for the 100 yards, winning two straight heats in 31, 32 and 32. Daybreak came in second each time as did Scurver third and Dusay fourth. Roberta was distanced in the first heat.

This morning the exhibition of draft horses and cattle took place, and we learned about the ordinary.

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Mr. O. D. Swanton, G. J. Myle and Superintendent Willard of the Gas Company, were over from Van Wert this morning en route to Dayton on business.

As expected was Children's Day at the County fair and the girls who were not elected, the Board of Education made arrangements so that all children of the 2d grade will be admitted to the ground of the fair.

TO THE HUSTLING BUSINESS MEN

And All Others Interested in the Welfare of the National Guard

Do not be taken away from your place of business for four to six weeks at a time. The Lima City Guards, under a State law, are allowed to sell a limited number of certificates which entitle the holder from service as a quartermaster. You might be liable for all the expenses of the guard.

All names must be in by October 2d.

Names of George L. Bougham, secretary, or members of the committee.

Albert Gile Corp, Hugh Cameron, Corp. Geo. Pittman Corp, Will Rees, Private Chas. Wheler, Jas. West, Harry Monton, John Hughes, Kent Hughes 95 21

Obituary

Lulu Rebecca Grites, wife of Obed J. and Addie Anderson of Linds, died at her home near Kington, at 12:15 p.m. on Saturday last, of cancer.

The country could offer no hope for her recovery and she bore her long suffering like a true heroine and welcomed death.

She lived an exemplary Christian life. She was a true and companionable wife and a noble, loving mother. She was eighty eight years of age and had been married eighteen years. Her husband and son are deceased.

The funeral services conducted by Rev. Dwight B. Cook, were held at the M. E. church, Elida on Tuesday 1st, and were largely attended, among those from a distance being her brother, Irvin J. Anderson, of Purcell, Okla., and sister, Mrs. Mrs. Anna L. Lepley, of Wixor, Neb., and Mrs. Anna L. Lepley, of Wixor, Neb., and many friends from Lima, Crisleville, Wapakoneta, Home, Spencerville and Delphos.

The interment was in Greenlawn or Elida cemetery.

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Maloney Department will be open on Thursday and Friday evenings, during the opening.

Fair Opening

At Bell's to-morrow Friday.

ROUND ABOUT.

A newspaper recently contained the following advertisement:

For Sale—A fresh cow, cheap for cash. Gives a bucket of milk with or without calf. Apply to, etc.

Another sensation is pending in police circles. When it is exposed there will be such a rattling among the old dry bones as has not been heard since the force was created.

Business continues to brighten all along the line. Sagacious merchants are quick to see and take advantage of any value that they can lay their hands on. Wm. Bowsher, who was Wm. Bowsher, turned and had entered the house before his presence was detected by the robbers. The latter were up stairs and Bowsher heard them. He started up to make an investigation, not knowing there were

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